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**THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO.**

INCORPORATED

**WHOLESALE SEED MERCHANTS  
OFFICE AND SEED CLEANING PLANT  
103-105 ARCH STREET  
PHILADELPHIA**

POSTMASTER: IF UNABLE TO DELIVER NOTIFY  
THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO., INC.  
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**CURRENT MARKET  
QUOTATIONS  
DO NOT DELAY**

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# THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO.

INCORPORATED  
WHOLESALE

FIELD SEEDS

TELEPHONES  
BELL MARKET 26-25  
BELL MARKET 26-28  
KEYSTONE MAIN 56-29  
—LONG DISTANCE—  
PHILADELPHIA L. D. 241

103-105 ARCH STREET

PHILADELPHIA, JULY 7, 1927.

**ALFALFA:** Reasonable prices quoted on seed of certified origin should encourage merchants to avoid the cheaper grades. Southern grown seed of the new crop is now being contracted, but every precaution should be taken by dealers in this territory to avoid its use, notwithstanding the attractive quality and price. We have always refused to handle Alfalfa seed produced in the Southern United States, but have specialized for years in the handling of Northwestern and Kansas grown seed of certified origin.

**TIMOTHY:** Buying for summer and fall requirements has been rather large. Many are of the opinion that Timothy prices are comparatively low.

**RED CLOVER and ALSYKE:** Values on surplus stocks carried over are lower than have ruled during the Spring season. Lower prices will likely rule on new crop seed when available.

**SOJA BEANS and COW PEAS:** Large demand has been experienced, being substituted for Vetch, Crimson Clover and other higher priced items. Have stocks best quality still available.

**CRIMSON CLOVER and HAIRY VETCH:** Demand poor, account abnormally high prices. New crop will be available later at much lower prices.

**LAWN GRASS SEED:** Trade on this item continues throughout the summer. It is important to have stock ready for instant use of the late buyers.

**SEED BUCKWHEAT:** Much of the grain available is unfit for seeding. We are taking the necessary precautions to handle seed buckwheat only of satisfactory germination.

**BIRD SEED and FEED GRAINS:** Note prices on various imported bird seed items, also Kafir, Flint Corn, etc. Can offer straight and mixed carloads for prompt or future shipment.

Prices quoted below are today's values f. o. b. Philadelphia. Samples sent promptly upon request. Bags not returnable.

ALFALFA		60 LBS. PER BU. 16-20 LBS. PER ACRE	
AMERICAN GROWN			
NON-IRRIGATED, FREE OF SOUTHWESTERN			
	PER 100 LBS.		PER BU.
Indian	\$16.00		\$ 9.60
Puritan	17.00		10.20
Fancy	18.00		10.80
QUAKER	19.00		11.40
KANSAS GROWN			
QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED	20.42		12.25
NORTHWESTERN GROWN			
QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED	20.42		12.25
MONTANA GROWN			
QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED	21.50		12.90
GRIMM			
QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED			
BLACK FOOT (1 lb. sealed bag; Blue Tag)	40.00		24.00
IDAHO SEALED	39.00		23.40
CANADIAN (1% Stained Violet)	34.00		20.40
CANADA VARIEGATED (1% Stained Violet)			
P. S. C. Certified	26.67		16.00

RED CLOVER		60 LBS. PER BU. 10-12 LBS. PER ACRE	
DOMESTIC MEDIUM			
Indian	30.00		18.00
Puritan	31.67		19.00
Fancy	33.33		20.00
QUAKER	35.00		21.00
PENNA. GROWN			
Fancy 1925 Crop			Sold out
DOMESTIC MAMMOTH			
Puritan	33.33		20.00
Fancy	35.00		21.00
NORTHERN FRENCH (1% Stained Green)			
QUAKER	27.00		16.20
Choice	25.33		15.20

Quotations above are for French Grown Red Clover seed recleaned over various processes to remove impurities peculiar to foreign grown seeds. French Clover seed may be sold at much lower prices in original heavy burlap sacks. It has always been our policy, however, to oppose the distribution to the farmer of foreign grown Clover seed from original imported packages account of the danger of sowing noxious weed seeds.

ALSYKE		60 LBS. PER BU. 8-10 LBS. PER ACRE	
Puritan	30.00		18.00
Special (con. 4 1/2% Wh. Clover)	32.50		19.50
QUAKER			
TIMOTHY		45 LBS. PER BU. 8-12 LBS. PER ACRE	
Indian	98.00%	5.88	2.65
Puritan	99.00%	6.10	2.75
Fancy	99.50%	6.44	2.90
QUAKER	99.75%	6.77	3.05

CRIMSON		60 LBS. PER BU. 15-20 LBS. PER ACRE	PER 100 LBS.
Fancy			17.50

SWEET CLOVER		60 LBS. PER BU. 20-30 LBS. PER ACRE	
WHITE BLOOMING (BIENNIAL)			
Choice			\$10.00
Fancy			11.00
NOTE—SWEET CLOVER SHOULD BE INOCULATED			

WHITE CLOVER		60 LBS. PER BU. 1/2 LB. PER 1000 SQ. FT.	
Choice			\$30.00
FANCY			98.00% 33.00

Note:—For less than full sack lots, note quotations in last column, of this card.

SOJA BEANS			
SOJA BEANS SHOULD BE INOCULATED. NOTE PRICES INOCULATION OPPOSITE:			
	APPROX. NO. PER LB.	DAYS TO MATURE	BU.
BLACK WILSON	4200	120 to 130	2.55
Mammoth Yellow	2275	140 to 145	2.00
MIXED SOJABEANS AND COWPEAS			1.80

NOTE—The above figures are for maturing in Penna. Further South maturity takes place from live to ten days earlier. For hay purposes, crop may be cut about thirty days earlier.

COW PEAS			
Whippoorwills			2.00
Clays			1.70
MIXED COWPEAS			1.60

VETCH		60 LBS. PER BU. 30-50 LBS. PER ACRE	PER 100 LBS.
Sand or Hairy			\$15.50
Spring			5.50
MILLET			
German or Golden (Tenn. gr.)			3.40
Hungarian			4.25
BUCKWHEAT		48 LBS. PER BU.	
Recleaned			4.00
RAPE		56 LBS. PER BU.	
Dwarf Essex, Holland gr.			6.25
SUDAN GRASS			
Fancy			9.25
CANADA FIELD PEAS		PER BU.	
Fancy, Canadian Grown			3.00
SEED GRAIN		PER BU.	
Winter Rye			
Rosen Rye			
Abruzzi Rye			
Leaps Prolific Wheat			
(Smooth)			
Fultz Wheat (Bearded)			
Red Rock Wheat			
Fulcaster Wheat			
Stoner's Miracle Wheat			
(Bearded)			
Speltz or Emmer			

TURNIP		PER LB.
Purple Top White Globe		.21
Cow Horn		.20
BEET		
Mammoth Long Red		.18
SWEET CORN		
Stowell's Evergreen		.12
Country Gentleman		.13

COTTON BAGS		PER 100
Seamless, 16 oz.		\$35.00
Mended Seamless 16 oz.		\$15.00

BIRD SEED		
Argentine Canary (Recl'd)		5.00
Hemp		3.65
Rape, Sweet		6.25
Red Millet		3.55
Sunflower (Dom. Recleaned)		5.75
Vetch		5.50

FEED PEAS		
Canada (Recl'd)		5.25
Green Wrinkled		3.40

FEED GRAIN, ETC.		
KAFIR		2.30
Milo		2.45
Argentine Flint Corn		2.70
Roll'd Oats (per 90 lbs.)		3.50
Hulled Oats		3.75
Steel Cut Oats		3.50

**INOCULATING BACTERIA**  
For inoculating all legumes. When ordering inoculation state kind of seed to be inoculated.

FARMOGERM		APPLIED IN LIQUID FORM
	For Small Seeds (Clover, Alfalfa, etc.)	For Large Seeds (Soy Beans, Cow Peas, etc.)
SIZES		
1/2 bu.		.24
1 bu.		.67
2 1/2 bu.		1.50
5 bu.		1.50
10 bu.		5.36

**HUMOGERM** APPLIED AS A POWDER  
Same sizes and prices as above.

MULFORD CULTURE		APPLIED IN LIQUID FORM
1/2 bu.		.40
1 bu.		.67
2 1/2 bu.		1.50
10 bu.		5.36



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**Old English Lawn Seed**

The Grade accepted by the majority. Found to be best adapted to the Eastern U. S.

PER 100 LBS.

In bulk 50 lb. bags ..... \$20.00  
" " 20 lb. " ..... 20.50  
" " 10 lb. " ..... 21.00  
Packed 5 lb. cans ..... 22.00  
" 2 lb. " ..... 23.00  
" 1 lb. " ..... 24.00

**Green Grass**

In bulk 50 lb. bags ..... 17.00  
" " 20 lb. " ..... 17.50  
" " 10 lb. " ..... 18.00  
" " 5 lb. " ..... 19.00

**Old English Evergreen**

In bulk, 50 lb. bags ..... 25.00  
" " 20 lb. " ..... 25.50  
" " 10 lb. " ..... 26.50  
Packed 5 lb. cans ..... 28.00  
Old English SHADY SPOT ..... 30.00  
Old English TERRACE ..... 33.00

FERTILIZER		PER 100 LBS.
Old English Sheep Manure		
Ton Lots		1.90
Less than Ton Lots		2.00
Old English Bone Meal		
100 lb. bags		2.50
50 lb. bags (2 per bale)		3.00
25 lb. bags (4 per bale)		3.50
10 lb. bags (10 per bale)		4.25
5 lb. bags (20 per bale)		5.00
VIGORO PLANT FOOD		
100 pound bags		3.50
50 pound bags		4.00
25 pound bags		4.60
5 pound bags		6.60

WHITE CLOVER FOR LAWNS		PER LB.
Fancy, in 1/4 lb. packages		.42
Fancy, in 1/2 lb. packages		.40
Fancy, in bags 25 lbs. or more		.35

RED TOP OR HERD GRASS		PURITY 100 LBS.
Solid Seed		
Fancy		.90% 23.00
QUAKER		.92% 24.00
Unhulled		
Fancy		14.00
Chaff		6.00

BLUE GRASS		
Pure Kentucky		
QUAKER		20.50
Fancy		19.00
Pure Canada QUAKER		18.00

ORCHARD GRASS		
Fancy		16.00

PERMANENT PASTURE		
For Meadows		\$12.50
For Uplands		12.50

RECLEANED MIXTURES		
These recleaned mixtures, in proportions indicated, offer an economical means of obtaining a pasture or hay crop.		
Timothy (6) Alsylke (1)		\$ 7.00
Red Clover (1) Alfalfa (1)		
Alsyke (1)		21.00
Alfalfa (6) Red Clover (1)		18.00
Alsyke (3) Red Clover (1)		25.00

RYE GRASS		
Perennial		\$13.50
Italian		9.50
Pacey's Short Seeded		14.00
Domestic		7.00

MEADOW FESCUE		
Fancy		

MISCELLANEOUS GRASSES		
Genuine So. German Bent		60.00
Chewing Fescue		30.00
Sheep Fescue		28.50
Wood Meadow		36.00
Bermuda		26.00
Rough Stalk Meadow		32.00
Tall Meadow Oat		12.75

Our Brands Registered in the U. S. Patent Office fully comply with pure seed legislation of Eastern States

**For Summer Planting**

**Black Wilson Sojas**

**Mixed Cow Peas**

**CERTIFIED ALFALFA**

**Timothy**

**Alsyke**

**Red Clover**

**Fall Seed Grains**

**The Philadelphia Seed Co., Inc.**

